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**PATENT**



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

**Cécile BEBOT et al.**

Serial No.: 09/750,717

Filed: January 2, 2001

For: COMPOSITION FOR OXIDATION  
DYEING KERATIN FIBERS  
COMPRISING AT LEAST TWO  
PARTICULAR QUATERNARY  
POLYAMMONIUMS AND USES  
THEREOF

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Sir:

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In reply to the Office Action dated February 11, 2002, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please replace claims 68-73 with amended claims 68-73, as follows:

68. (Once Amended) A composition according to claim 1, wherein in said  
and R<sub>11</sub> said alkyl radical of said hydroxyalkyl groups comprises from 1 to 5 carbon

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